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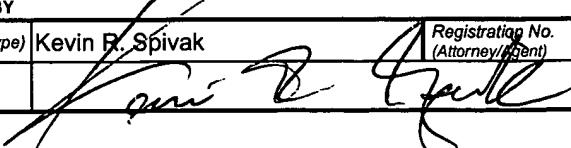
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1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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For: BELT FORCE MEASURING DEVICE

Examiner: T. S. Miller

Group Art Unit: 2856

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and § 1.98, Applicants submit for consideration in the above-identified application the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the documents are also submitted herewith. The Examiner is requested to make these documents of record.

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted:

- After receipt of a first Office Action on the merits but before mailing of a final Office Action or Notice of Allowance.
- A fee is required. Accordingly, a Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission in duplicate.

Applicants would appreciate the Examiner initialing and returning the Form PTO-1449, indicating that the information has been considered and made of record herein.

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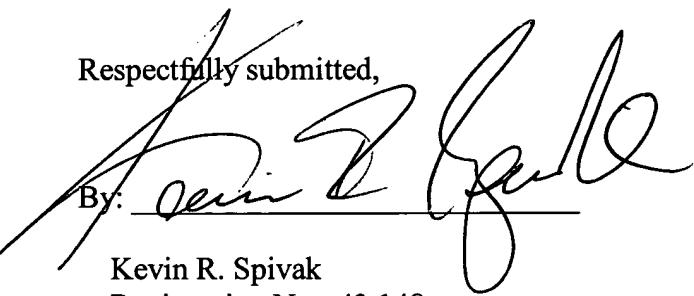
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials	Ref. No.	Date	Document No.	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If Appropriate
	1.	10/05/1999	5,960,523	HUSBY et al			
	2.	03/27/2001	US 6,205,868 B1	MILLER			
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	5.	11/29/2001	100 20 044 A1	Germany			X
	6.	06/16/1982	30 47 396 A1	Germany			X
	7.	12/24/1992	2 677 938	France			X
	8.	01/03/2001	DE 19941005 A1	Germany			
	9.	03/11/1999	WO 99/12012	PCT			

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